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Since we are inside of the 60 public comment period I thought I ought to put my two cents worth in. The more and more I think about it the more I like the Red Hat proposal for a solution. Microsoft has offered to give away \$X of hardware and software to needy schools. Let them give it all in hardware and take up Red Hat's offer of them providing the software. This way, no one is tied down to a platform controlled by any one company and it will go an awful long way in reversing the damage done by Microsofts monopolistic practices.

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